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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1001	2001	750	375	Utility filing fee	
1002	2002	330	165	Design filing fee	
1003	2003	520	260	Plant filing fee	
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1005	2005	160	80	Provisional filing fee	
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Multiple Dependent	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
			-20** =	X	=
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Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description
1202	2202	18 9 Claims in excess of 20
1201	2201	84 42 Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	2203	280 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	2204	84 42 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	2205	18 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)		

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Large Entity Small Entity

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1051	130	2051 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053 130 Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251 55 Extension for reply within first month	
1252	410	2252 205 Extension for reply within second month	
1253	930	2253 465 Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,450	2254 725 Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1,970	2255 985 Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	320	2401 160 Notice of Appeal	
1402	320	2402 160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	280	2403 140 Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,300	2453 650 Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,300	2501 650 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	470	2502 235 Design issue fee	
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1806	180	1806 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	750	2809 375 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810	750	2810 375 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1801	750	2801 375 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	
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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 24, 2003, Applicant hereby elects Group III (Claims 34-37 and 44-48.) Please cancel Claims 1-33 and 38-43. Inventorship is not affected by the election of Group III.

A Petition for One-Month Extension of Time up to and including August 24, 2003 and the requisite fee of \$55.00 are filed concurrently herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 8/15/03

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